

Docket No. 03500.012088.

Examiner: Ella Colbert

Group Art Unit: 3624

Date: December 23, 2004

FUMIAKI ITO, et al.

Application No.: 08/863,047

Filed: May 23, 1997

For: DOCUMENT PROCESSING METHOD,

SYSTEM AND STORAGE MEDIUM FOR DOCUMENT PROCESSING PROGRAMS

Mail Stop Amendment THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

| X | No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED							
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 45	MINUS	** 61	0	x \$25 \$50	0	
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 3	MINUS	***	0	x \$100 \$200	0	
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$180°/\$360							
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						0	

If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.

If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space. If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

	Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.					
	A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.					
	Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.					
X	Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.					
X	A check in the amount of \$\frac{120.00}{200}\$ to cover the fee for a one month extension is enclosed.					
X	A check in the amount of \$180.00 to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.					
X	Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office by telephone at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.					
	Respectfully submitted,					
	Carole A. Quinn Attorney for Applicants Registration No.: 39,000					

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 24, 2004, the period for response to which having been extended to Monday, December 27, 2004 (the day following the Christmas Holiday) by the accompanying Petition For Extension Of Time, please amend the above-identified application, as follows: